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PLANS FOR THE PROPOSED MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS EXPLAINED BY ENGINEER

Survey Completed and Engineer Tells Exchange Club That Plans Contemplate Paving of Streets, Adequate Drainage System and Building of Seawall and Riverfront Park.

That he has practically completed the survey of the city's streets for the contemplated improvements and that the survey covers and contemplates the paving of about 10½ miles of streets, the building of a seawall from Wayne avenue to Sixth street, with the building of a riverfront park, and the installation of an adequate drainage system for the main part of the city, and that the approximate cost of these contemplated improvements will be about $650,000, were statements contained in a talk given by Engineer N. A. Hotard to the members of the Exchange club at its regular luncheon meeting held Tuesday.

Mr. Hotard explained that this information had not yet been submitted to the city commission, by whom the survey was ordered several weeks ago, but that he and his assistants have about completed the preliminary work with the exception of complete data and cost on the seawall and the work of dredging and filling in behind the seawall.

In his talk the engineer stated that the contemplated program calls for the paving of all streets running east and west from Wayne avenue on the north to Sixth street in Rio Vista Park on the south, and all streets running north and south from Hillsboro street to Myrtle avenue.

He said that the program calls for all streets to be paved a width of 22 feet, with raised curbs on each side, except Hillsboro street, which will be paved a width of 25 feet, and Lyle avenue. The plans for Lyle avenue call for two roadways of 20 feet wide each, with a parkway of 18 feet between, extending from Orange street to the river. Wayne avenue is also to be paved with a double roadway and a parkway in the center in order to preserve the row of beautiful trees planted many years ago.

The plans for the drainage system call for an adequate system of storm and surface drainage covering the city in the territory from the railroad to the river and from Clinch street to Wayne avenue. This contemplates a system which will drain off all surface water into the river.

The plans and specifications for the seawall and river front improvements have not yet been completed by the engineer, but the plans call for the location of the seawall to be 100 feet out from the property line beginning at Wayne avenue and extending to Canal street, and from Lytle avenue south to Sixth street. The space behind the seawall is to be filled in with a suction dredge, making Hillsboro street a boulevard 100 feet wide, with the space between the paving and the seawall to be made into a beautiful parkage.

From Canal street to Lytle avenue it is contemplated to place the seawall along the west bank of the channel, beginning at the city dock, and run it along the west bank of the channel to the new bridge, filling in the space back of the seawall and making it into a river front park.

While a definite estimate on the cost of these proposed improvements has not been submitted to the city commission, the estimates are being made on a basis of a substantial type of paving for the streets, with concrete curbs and gutters.

At the present time the city has about two and a half miles of paved streets, which is a small ratio of paved streets as compared with other progressive and up to date Florida cities. The proposed program for paving, if it is all included in the final program submitted by the city commission, will give the city about four times its present amount of paved streets.

When the plans, specifications and estimates on the proposed improvements are submitted to the city commission by the engineer, the city commission will prepare the proposed program and submit it to the people to be voted upon.

STATE TO ENTER MILITARY TEST

GOVERNOR HARDEE APPROVES THE PLAN AND THE PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED BY ADJUTANT GENERAL.

Florida will do its part to loyally and enthusiastically carry out the plans of the war department as approved by the president of the United States, for a national defense demonstration on the day fixed by the war department for a test mobilization of all of the military forces within the continental limits of the United States on September 12.

In a proclamation issued August 5, Gov. Hardee approved the plans of the government for this national defense test, and of the civilian demonstration in connection therewith, which it is proposed shall be held in every community throughout the country, as a means for acquainting the people generally with the provisions and requirements of the national defense act, which was passed by congress in 1919 and amended and reenacted in 1920.

Furnishes Plan

In a statement issued from the office of the adjutant general of Florida, St. Augustine, the following general information is furnished as to the plan and scope of the national defense demonstration and the practical co-operation that is expected from the people of the state in carrying out the purpose of the demonstration:

The national defense test as distinguished from the "demonstration" to be conducted co-incident therewith, is an assembly of every unit of the military forces of the United States within its continental limits. It is intended to demonstrate the means by which our military strength would be mobilized in time of national emergency, and the efficiency, initiative and resourcefulness of local commanders. This will be shown in the reports to be rendered by officers of the action taken upon receipt of the tests orders. It is, as its designation indicates, a practical test of our machinery for defense.

The "demonstration," which is to be held in connection with the "test," is to acquaint all civilians with the details of our national defense plans, and of the national defense act, and with their individual responsibilities and opportunities in connection with the operation of this law.

The carrying out of the demonstration is entirely in the hands of the civilian population of each community. The governor has called upon all citizens of Florida to take part, but actual participation will be entirely local and voluntary.

It is planned that the defense demonstration in each city on September 12 shall consist of a parade, to be held late in the afternoon of that day, and to be participated in by all military bodies, patriotic and civic organizations and other societies and by citizens generally. This parade is to be followed in the evening by a large public meeting or series of meetings where there will be patriotic music, a prayer for the maintenance of peace and one or more addresses appropriate to the occasion, in which our national defense policy and plan of military organization for defense will be explained.

The execution of this program will be entirely in the hands of a central local committee, which should be formed as soon as possible, upon the initiative of the chamber of commerce or other leading civic body, or, in the absence of such an organization, by the mayor of the city or town.

The central committee thus formed may prepare the local program and carry out all arrangements for the demonstration, or may appoint subcommittees from local organizations, so as to widen the interest and participation in the demonstration and to make sure that all community elements are given an opportunity to take part.

Where there are units of the regular army, national guard, or organized reserve corps, it is suggested that responsibility for the conduct of the parade be entrusted to the senior military officer present.

The adjutant general's office will furnish upon request, data for the use of committees and speakers as to our national military policy as established under the national defense act, and as to the details of organization of the military forces of the country.

Information as to the formation of committees and the addresses of committeemen should be forwarded to the office of the adjutant general.

Local plans for this day have been taken up by the chamber of commerce and President Davis Forster has appointed L. B. Bouchelle, J. S. Shoesmith and E. A. Latham as a committee to work in preparing a program with the following committee appointed by Davis Forster as head of the American Legion: L. E. Perry, Harry Moore and Paul Van Armond.

CONDEMNS STATE TOURIST LICENSE

LOCAL MAN INSTRUMENTAL IN GETTING RESOLUTION PASSED BY AUTOMOBILE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

Matters of importance to the motorist in Florida, bearing upon legislation designed to further safeguard human lives on the public highways, occupied the attention of the legislative committee of the Florida Automobile association, which held a long session in Orlando during the week-end.

While the question of proposed new legislation was uppermost, the present so-called tourist license law, requiring motorists from other states to procure extra license tags after remaining in Florida for thirty days came in for condemnation and a recommendation was made that the act should be repealed at the next session of the legislature, and that a proposal to that effect be presented. In this connection H. U. Bonnet, of New Smyrna, a member of the committee, espoused the policy of recognizing liquid licenses of any other state in the union, declaring that every motor vehicle owner driving in Florida contributed his or her share of the state road burden through the state gas tax he naturally must pay. Major C. A. Brown, former chief engineer of the state road department, and chairman of the F. A. A. legislative committee, was inclined to support the contentions of Arthur Schultz, chairman of the board of Orange county commissioners and also a member of the F. A. A. legislative committee that some limitation be placed on foreign cars, so that when the issue came to a vote Mr. Schultz' recommendations were carried. This placed the association on record as favoring and working for the amendment of the present law and giving any and all motorists the right to use in Florida liquid licenses issued by other states for a period of ninety days; and a longer period based upon the reciprocal plan, where the particular state in question extended the limit to Florida motorists more than ninety days.

A further recommendation was agreed upon which would require some duly constituted authority at each of the county seats to issue license plates and thus avoid the delays and inconveniences entailed through the present system.

The erection of danger signals throughout the state is to be left to the work undertaken by the Florida Automobile association, but legislation will be sought dealing with many other hazardous phases of present practices. The question of requiring individual drivers to hold permits before allowing to operate a motor vehicle, the revocation of the right of reckless persons to operate a car and punishment in case of certain violations, held the attention of the committee until adjournment, and was carried over until the next meeting of the committee the latter part of August. It was brought out, however, that accidents had been greatly reduced in states and cities where a man or woman was required to stand examination before being permitted to drive an automobile, as against sections where no such legal requirements were in operation.

Great stress was laid upon the causes for the loss of human life on the public highways, and it was pointed out that many of the most disastrous accidents are chargeable to negligence or recklessness on the part of persons who are supposed to be expert pilots. This situation has been met through legislation in other states and final recommendations on this score were deferred until further data could be collected concerning precedents.

Miss Florence Duren and Chester Bryant of Orlando spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. W. J. Griffin.

WORK ON NEW SHOPS AND ROUNDHOUSE BUILDINGS TO BE HURRIED THROUGH

Florida East Coast Railroad Is Preparing to Handle Heaviest Business in Its History During the Coming Winter Season and Through the Coming Year.

That the new shops and roundhouse of the Florida East Coast railroad at this place will be completed and ready for use by the first part of December is the substance of rumors in railroad circles here, since the visit of General Manager Rodenbaugh to this city last week.

Mr. Rodenbaugh was accompanied to this city by Mr. Brown, engineer of maintenance of way, and a thorough inspection of the work that has been done here in the way of building the new shops and roundhouse was made by the officials. Following this official visit it has been reported that the word was given out by the general manager that the new shops and roundhouse must be completed and ready for occupancy by the 10th day of December.

The new turntable, around which the roundhouse is to be erected, was completed some time ago and since that time the operations of filling in the ground where the new tracks and buildings are to be located has been carried on steadily by the contractor in charge. These operations have been conducted with two work trains and the sand and earth for filling has been hauled in from northwest of the city on the Okeechobee branch line. A large part of the filling has been completed, but there is still considerable of this work to be done, and it is said that the hurry up suggestion from th egeneral manager will result in one and perhaps two more shifts of laborers and work trains to be used in this work.

The work on the buildings cannot be started until the filling in has been completed, but as soon as the construction work is started it will be carried on with as large forces of workmen as can be handled on the job.

For the present all efforts will be centered on the completion of the new shops and roundhouse buildings, so that all machinery can be placed and in use to keep the engines in good condition during the winter season. A number of new machines have recently been received here and others have been ordered to be ready for delivery to be set and in operation by the first of December.

A number of new tracks will be laid leading to and from the shops and roundhouse.

Next summer, it is understood, the work of moving and relocating the car repair department with its tracks, buildings and equipment, will be undertaken and further extensions of the new switching yards will also be made. When the new extensions to the yards are made at the south end, it is understood, most of the switching and handling of freight trains will be done in that section, which will take this work away from the Canal street crossing.

The grading work for the new double track is going on steadily and the second track will be laid as soon as the new roadbed has settled sufficiently to permit.

The Florida East Coast railroad is making preparations to be in position to handle the biggest business in the history of the road during the coming winter season and throughout the coming year.

Prof. J. R. Watson discusses the cause of root knot on potatoes in Florida. In Bulletin No. 169 he calls it Heterodera radicicola. Interested persons can get the bulletin by writing to the state experiment station at Gainesville. Prof. G. F. Weber gives brief accounts of various potato diseases in the same bulletin. Prof. Watson also discusses the insect enemies to Florida grown potatoes.

The rainy season has helped to bring out fine crops of weeds, not only in the country, but in towns. Weeds along sidewalks, vacant lots and in door yards do not make a good impression on visitors. Weeds allowed to ripen their seeds help to perpetuate themselves and when spread by the winds become a source of work and expense to those who have cultivated crops.

BEDS OF OYSTERS ARE TRANSPLANTED

STATE SHELLFISH DEPARTMENT REPLANTING BIVALVES AT PELICAN ISLAND AND BRICK HOUSE COVE.

Work of transplanting large quantities of oysters from the beds of the Halifax river near Daytona, to the vicinity of Pelican island near the inlet, and at Brick House cove, south of this city, was started this week by a crew of workmen with the shellfish commission dredge Franklin.

At the present time the city of Daytona is having a large amount of filling in behind the new seawall done by a suction dredge and as this work progresses large oyster beds are destroyed by the dredge. While the oysters in these beds directly in front of the city are not considered fit for consumption as food because of the proximity of sewers emptying into the river, by which the oysters became polluted, the statement is made that they can be transplanted in cleaner localities, where the salt water will remove all chances for continued pollution.

State Shellfish Commissioner T. R. Hodges and the dredge Franklin were in New Smyrna the last part of last week on the way to Daytona to carry on the work of transplanting the oyster beds in that vicinity. Mr. Hodges stated while here that a considerable portion of these oysters would be transplanted at Brick House cove, from which point for many years fine oysters have been gathered. It is possible that some of the oyster beds in front of the city of New Smyrna may also be transplanted while the dredge is working in this vicinity.

According to Mr. Hodges, the shellfish dredge Franklin has been in commission about eight months, during which time the crew under his direction have transplanted about 130,000 barrels of oysters to various parts of Florida, in addition to large quantities of clams. The dredge is in command of Capt. A. A. Meyer and E. L. Gray is chief engineer.

Examination for Postmaster Ordered Here

Notices have been sent out by the United States civil service commission that an examination for the position of postmaster at New Smyrna will be held soon and that applicants eligible to take this examination must file their applications with the civil service commission not later than September 2, 1924. Two examinations for postmaster are to be held in Florida at this time, one at New Smyrna and one at Fort Pierce. It is stated that the salary to be paid the postmaster at New Smyrna is $2,500 per year.

The announcement states that this is to be an examination held at the request of the postmaster general, that it is an open, competitive examination and held under the executive order issued May 10, 1921, and revised July 27, 1921.

The date for the examination has not been stated.

The last annual report of the United States commissioner of Indian affairs shows an Indian population of 344,303, with some 500 in Florida, the Seminoles, on a reservation in the southeastern corner of Hendry county. The Seminoles are practically divided with two different tribes, each with its own language, one known as Okeechobee and the other Miami. At one time they were powerful and carried on with the United States our longest and most costly Indian war.

Editor Benjamin of the Ocala Star does not agree with Editor Stoneman of the Miami Herald that the revolver is altogether responsible for the murders for which this country now has the count. The Star editor believes that "murder is owing to hate, avarice and sudden passion, and not to the possession of any particular weapon." He cites the use of many different articles as deadly as weapons, and urges drastic regulation, as in case of narcotics, etc., but the possession of firearms cannot be prevented, without amending the federal constitution, which guarantees the right of citizens to keep them.

New Y Secretary Is Chosen for the Triple Cities

Daytona Daily News: H. E. Mell, of Rock Hill, S. C., has been chosen as secretary of the Halifax Young Men's Christian Association and will begin his duties in that capacity September 1, according to information given out by J. Blair Dunn, president of the organization.

The contract with Mr. Mell has been signed and he is expected to arrive in Daytona August 23, prior to assuming his duties. He has spent approximately five years of work in the capacity of secretary of the Rock Hill Y. M. C. A., which it has been stated has grown greatly in strength and vitality under his guidance. He entered the Y. M. C. A. work at Rock Hill directly after he was mustered out of the army after the world war.

H. H. Harper, assistant secretary, who has just returned from the Blue Ridge encampment where he became personally acquainted with Mr. Mell, says Daytona is very fortunate indeed in securing Mr. Mell, whom he considers a man of exceptional character and pleasing personality.

Upon the arrival of Mr. Mell, Joseph B. Bunker, Volusia county Y. M. C. A. secretary, who has been acting supervisor of the local organization, will be relieved of that duty, allowing him more time for his county work.

Mrs. Ida M. Hart, who has been a resident of this city for a number of years, died at noon Monday at her home on Ball street, after an illness of many months. The body was started Tuesday for her former home in Elyria, Ohio, where funeral services were held and interment was made.

A Miami man has been doing some worth while broadcasting. He hired an airplane, put on a load of carpet grass seed and sowed a 640-acre field in a half hour. It is estimated that by the usual hand process it would have taken two men a month. This opens up new methods of farm speed and ease.

AUDITORIUM WILL BE REPAIRED NOW

COUNTY BOARD ACCEPTS BID TO HAVE AUDITORIUM READY FOR OPENING OF SCHOOL NEXT MONTH.

At the regular meeting of the county school board held last Thursday in Deland, the bid of Elveash & Meares for repairs to the auditorium of the New Smyrna public school building, in the way of placing supporting columns and replacing all broken plaster, for the sum of $180 was accepted, and the repairs will be made at once, so that the auditorium will be ready for use by the opening of the school year next month. The bid of the same firm of $700 for alterations in the old residence on the school grounds was rejected, and the secretary was instructed to ask the firm to revise the bid, eliminating all paint work.

Mr. Whiddon and committee from Samsula asked the board if it were possible to do so they would prefer to have Mrs. Price to return to Samsula as principal. Since Mrs. Price had resigned this position and had been assigned to another school no action could be taken.

Two petitions were presented to the board from the Turnbull Bay community, one asking that the Turnbull Bay pupils be transported to the New Smyrna school, and the other that the school be maintained at Turnbull Bay. After due consideration the board decided to maintain the school at Turnbull Bay

The building records of Florida as reported from eleven cities show a total for the first half of 1924 of $27,557,512. Among the 25 leading cities of the sixteen Southern states Florida had five cities named, Miami ranking as twelfth, Jacksonville seventeenth, St. Petersburg eighteenth, Miami Beach nineteenth, and Tampa twenty-fifth. The total building expenditures for the south for the first six months of 1924 amounted to $270,624,863.

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Motion Picture Colony Is to Be Established

Da tona Daily News Preparatory to beginning the actual establishment of Sun City the preliminary work of surveying and mapping the tract of 3 000 acres has been begun by the Sun City Land and Water company and when this is completed development of the townsite will be undertaken on a large scale it has been announced Aerial maps will be made as soon as photographs have been completed by Underwood & Underwood America s best known photographers and these will form a basis for completing the topographical survey

Representatives of A D Taylor nationally known landscape artist and town planning engineer have been busy for two weeks on their survey work and as a result the general plan of Sun City as it will appear is being rapidly shaped Those who have seen the new maps declare they bring out the beauty of the river skirted tract with increased force

Propose Broad Boulevard

Among the features proposed is a broad boulevard extending from the Dixie highway straight through to the junction of the Tomoka river and the Florida East Coast railroad This thoroughfare is planned to be 150 feet in width with a parked center and two driveways flanked on either side by stately archways of giant oaks It is planned to span the Halifax river at this point with a concrete causeway and bridge and an additional bridge is proposed for the northern point of the property This to connect Sun City with the proposed Ocean boulevard which will be not only one of the attractions of the beach but of the entire East Coast

The developers claim that as the work progresses great possibilities are unfolded for making Sun City one of the outstanding developments of peninsular Florida and one of the most beautiful and unique cities in the world Resident Engineer Flint of the A D Taylor company states that nowhere in his long career as a landscape artist has he found a tract of land so richly endowed by nature and combining so admirably all facilities necessary for making an ideal townsite It puzzles me when I consider that this beauty spot has been overlooked for so many years said Mr Flint

Picturesque Highways

When a scenic drive along the Halifax and Tomoka has been completed for a distance of about 10 miles finishing the circle with the bridge from the railroad to the Dixie highway Sun City it is promised will afford to Floridians and their visitors one of the most remarkable and picturesque scenic highways in America

Asked if any further information could be given out relative to the development plans Roselyn Jones president of the Sun City Land and Water company replied

'As Sun City is to be established on one of the most beautiful sites in the world and not on paper, we prefer to say hereafter This has been done rather than 'we propose to do this'

We are deeply appreciative of the interest of the press and public in our plans which will be developed to their fullest extent in every phase and will be only too glad to report progress when there is real occasion therefor Sun City is going to be a little sister of which the Triple Cities and Ormond will have reason for being proud

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The August issue of the Scientific American contains a very interesting and instructive article entitled Growing Our Own Bananas—How Florida is Establishing a New Crop in Competition With More Tropical Lands It is by James H Collins a well known writer on economic and general welfare topics There are several fine illustrations of Florida banana groves and contains a very comprehensive interview with W E Bolles of Oldsmar a pioneer worker in what is to become an important industry in our state The article is of value from first to last but space limits us to the last paragraph as follows To date about 3 000 acres of bananas are growing commercially in Florida and there will be a crop to market next year through the growers association which has been organized to deal with the infant industry s marketing problems in advance However Florida itself imports so many bunches of bananas from the tropics that it will be several years before markets need be sought outside the state When that time comes Florida will have advantages in competition with the tropics being nearer many of the big northern and eastern consuming centers and able to ship fruit ripened on the plant or more nearly ripened than the bananas that come from the farthest boundaries of the Caribbean Interested parties can get a booklet telling what can be done with bananas in Florida by writing to Mr Bolles at Oldsmar

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The Florida Grower is of the opinion that our fresh water fish are getting scarcer every season The law provides no limit on size or quantity It says We have a state association for the preservation of game and fish and some of the progressive counties have an association They are doing a great deal of the missionary work, but they both need help It will take considerably more than just plain talk to get anywhere with the most vital thing for Florida We have talked to hundreds of men and women in the state who think it would be a fine thing to save our game and fish, and we are in favor of it Moral cooperation this is surely but their active membership in the state or county association would be of some concrete value Look up your association join it—and work Ancent the same subject Rube Allyn of the Florida Fisherman and Guide says Is it not too bad that Florida has no definite statistics about our great fishing assets? No bureau even attempting to get statistics? No biological station to get exact statistics about our alleged six hatcheries in the entire length and breadth of our state? No definite information about the depletion of our capital stock each year?

Key West the most southerly city in the United States was once the largest city of Florida It is now fifth It has a fine harbor ninety two miles from Havana and the nearest American port to the Panama canal It is reached by a railway extending out into the ocean with the track at several points out of sight of land All visitors to Florida should see Key West It would take a good deal of space to tell of the many interesting things to be seen

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An English tank steamer took on 460 000 gallons of turpentine at Jacksonville for London a few days ago This was the first shipment ever made in that way from Florida s gateway city It was pumped in at the Commodores Point terminal

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It is reported from Tallahassee that the work of cattle tick eradication under the law of 1923 is not progressing as rapidly as was hoped Dade and Monroe are the only counties declared to be free Under the law it was designated that work begin in zone 13 Maybe they began with the wrong number There is no doubt the tick seriously damages the cattle Experts of the United States department of agriculture say the tick reduces milk flow practically one half The hide is left full of holes and the meat is far from being good With it all the cattle suffer constantly from irritation A human being suffering in that way would be a hospital patient

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Because of the marriage of an 11 year old girl in Tampa the Business and Professional Womens club of that city has started a movement to ask the next legislature for a minimum of 18 years as the marriageable age for women in Florida

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Prof W E Stokes grass and forage crops specialist of the state experiment station at Gainesville says Do you know that four to six pounds of nitrate of soda or sulphate of ammonia to every 1 000 square feet of space will keep your lawn from turning yellow and showing an unthrifty condition during the dry hot weather that is to follow this wet season Though the lawns are looking healthy now they will not hold up after the rains stop In applying the fertilizer all lumps should be broken up and the material scattered evenly over the lawn and if a shower does not immediately follow the sprinkler should be turned on so as to thoroughly wash the fertilizer off the grass down into the soil and prevent scorching or burning For further information about grasses or forage plants write to Prof Stokes

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The Plant City Courier in a very practical and sensible editorial urges every town in Florida to become a bird sanctuary even to making the whole state of Florida one for our feathered friends It says among other things There is not a bird that flies through the atmosphere of Florida which is not in some way a friend to man while many of them delight the eye and ear by their presence All the damage which all of them do to berries or grain will be as nothing compared to the good they will accomplish in destroying the insect life which is our real enemy The food value of the slaughtered birds is nothing compared with the value of the food they will save for the farmer and growers by protecting them from insect marauders It would be hard to get more truth in the same space It is the opinion of experts that without birds the earth would become uninhabitable for man They would destroy all cultivated crops As it is they annually destroy millions of dollars worth of crops The cotton boll weevil alone has already cost America a billion dollars

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Church Notes

Congregational Church—
William Hathaway Pound, minister.
Church school at 10 a. m. Dr. Robinson, superintendent.
Midweek service Wednesday evening at 7:30.
A cordial invitation to all services.

First Baptist Church—
Blanchard B. Law, pastor, residence, Washington street.
Sunday school, 10 a. m. Superintendent, M. W. Ashton.
All night services held at 8 o'clock for the summer, beginning with April 20th, Easter night.
7:10 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U., A. Talmadge Hayes, president; Miss Doris Law, vice president.
Missionary circles, Tuesday, 3 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.
Choir practice 8:30 p. m., Wednesdays following prayer service.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public to all services.

Southern Methodist Church—
T. L. Z. Barr, pastor.
Corner Douglass and Palmetto streets.
Sunday school at 10 a. m., E. L. Greer, superintendent.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Welcome to all.

First Methodist Episcopal Church— (Northern)
Faulkner street, near public school building. Parsonage next to church. W. F. Brusberger, pastor.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00.
Everybody welcome.

Catholic Church—
On Faulkner street.
Mass, Sunday, 10 a. m.
Sunday school, 9 a. m.

Seventh Day Adventist—
Orange street. Sabbath school at 10 a. m., F. H. Thompson, superintendent.
Church services at 11:15, Ira D Swingle, elder.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30. All are welcome.

Christian Science Services—
In the church edifice, corner Live Oak street and Lytle avenue.
Sunday, 11 a. m.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Wednesday evening, 7:45.
Reading room open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 5.
All are welcome.

Baptist Church Notes

The Sunday morning sermon was on the thoughts contained in the 4th chapter of Philippians, and 8th verse, "Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good spirit; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things." Truly these graces cover about all the virtues of life, and they are welcome if we meditate on their beauty.

The ordinance of baptism followed the night service, and thus closed another Lord's day, with some taking their stand on the Lord's side publicly, others, we trust, thinking on these things.

It seems to be in the mind of some of our people, and it was spoken of, that we give Brother Law a little rest or vacation privilege, for a few days or weeks. He has been taxed quite a little during the heated term, and feels very grateful for the consideration, and will slow up a little at least, but will try and not be out of his pulpit on Sundays. Just asks a little patience on the part of the folks, if he does not see around to see them for a little time. He wishes all sickness to be reported, and strangers and those who are going away, that he may know of this, and not fail in his concern for such cases. Please, members and friends, report such cases to him kindly, he asks.

Early Monday morning, August 11, the Rev. and Mrs Law and mother and Miss Doris left for a few days' visit to Starke, where they had lived for five years, and where they have a cousin, Mrs. Mabel Wall. They will return for Sunday, the 17th, and be in their places at the church.

We regret to lose the W. F. Alderman family by removal to Jacksonville, and certainly will follow them with our prayers and good wishes.

We also regret to lose our aged sister by letter, Mrs. Ann Thomas, who though feeble in body and always present. If possible, and was recognized as a spiritual Christian. May the Lord bless her declining days in her present home at Hudson, O.

Mr. Talmage Hayes and father, left Saturday for their summer home at Cloudland, Ga., for a week's stay with their family there.

Rudolphus Sheldon is back home. We are glad to have these young men return to us, may the Lord bless them and keep them from the evils of these times. May they be willing to be kept in our desire for them. Paul says: "I write unto you young men because ye are strong—because you have overcome the evil one," thus showing that much is expected of them.

A Misunderstanding

Seventh Day Adventists teachings misunderstood, misinterpreted or misrepresented, one of the three things, and it might be all; but we hope not purposely.

In all controversies, whether moral, social or political, there may arise misunderstandings, through failure of not weighing evidences in an even balance, but more often does this occur through prejudice, that is by prejudging things of which we have no per onal knowledge ourselves. No person can tell the quality of food of which they have not eaten. Holy Writ says: "He that answereth a matter before he heareth it, it is folly and shame unto him." Prov. 18:13. Again we are commanded to "Prove all things, hold fast that which is good." 1 Thess. 5:21.

In the days of John the Baptist, because he dared to reprove Herod for his sin, lost his life, Mark 6:17-29. Likewise shall the Son of Man suffer many things and be rejected of men. Matt. 17:12-23. All this they did and more because they prejudged them worthy of death without knowing any thing of their teaching except the hearing of the word that condemned them in their course of wrong doing. So they did on the day of Pentecost, saying, of the disciples, "These men are full of new wine." (new doctrine) But Peter denied the charge, saying: "For these are not drunken as ye suppose." But this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel; and it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams, and on my servants and on my handmaidens I will pour out of my spirit, and they shall prophesy." Acts 2:15-18. So today men suppose things to be what they are not, because they have never eaten of them or lived out the things they denounce.

In the days of Luther, Zwingle, Melanchthon, Jerome, Huss, Wesslies, Whitfield, John Sunyon, Roger Williams and a host of others, were all denounced by the established churches of their day, as heretics; teachers of new and strange doctrines, when indeed they were teaching the very things that the prophets and apostles taught, with Christ as their leader. These teachers only advocated old truths in a new dress. They had no idea of setting themselves or their followers above others as a superior class of Christians. They were indeed a meek and humble class of men, strong in faith, believing they had light given them beyond what they had previously known, and they were anxious that others should enjoy it with them. So today Seventh Day Adventists are few in number, but courageous to do their Lord's will, knowing that it is not all that say "Lord, Lord, that shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven." Matt. 7:21.

Of Christ the Psalmist says: "I delight to do thy will, O my God; yea, thy law is within my heart." Ps. 40:8. He further stated the fact that "I have kept my father's commandments and abide in his love." Jn. 15:10. Moreover He tells them and us, that "if ye love me, ye will keep my commandments." Ch. 14:15. A. R. V. "He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me; and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and manifest myself to him," verse 21. Moreover Jesus says, "If a man love me, he will keep my words; and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him," verse 23.

All Christendom knows that the seventh day is the Sabbath of the ten commandments; and Jesus says, "Whosoever shall break one of these least commandments, and shall teach men so, he shall be called the least in the kingdom of heaven; but whosoever shall do and teach them the same shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven." Matt. 5:19. Moreover James says, "For whosoever shall keep the whole law, and yet offend in one point, is guilty of all." Ch. 2:10. Then why accuse Seventh Day Adventists of un-Christianizing the religious world, when indeed they are trying to lead them back into a higher Christian experience; away from disobedience, into obedience. Take notice of the promise, "If ye be willing and obedient, ye shall eat the good of the land." Likewise the threat, "If ye refuse and rebel, ye shall be devoured with the sword; for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it." Isa. 1:19-20.

H. J. FARMAN.

ORDINANCE NO. 131

AN ORDINANCE to Declare the Intention of the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna, Volusia County, Florida, to Change the Present Territorial Limits of said City by the Annexation of an unincorporated tract of Land Containing Less Than Ten Registered Voters, and Lying Contiguous to the Present Territorial Limits of Said City and Within the Same County, to-wit, Volusia County; said Territory to be Annexed at the Expiration of Thirty Days from the Approval of this Ordinance, and to Provide for the Publication of this Ordinance as is Required by law.

WHEREAS, the City of New Smyrna, Volusia County, Florida, desires to change its territorial limits by the annexation of the hereinafter described unincorporated tract of land lying contiguous therein and within the same County, and

WHEREAS, a portion of the unincorporated tract of land hereinafter described is platted and held for sale as City lots, and

WHEREAS, said tract of land will eventually represent the actual growth of New Smyrna beyond its present territorial limits, and

WHEREAS, said tract of land is valuable by reason of its adaptability for city uses, and

WHEREAS, the qualified voters, residents and representatives of over two-thirds of the property hereinafter described have filed a petition with the City Commission requesting that said property be annexed to the City of New Smyrna, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna deems it advisable, expedient and for the best interests of said City that the unincorporated tract of land hereinafter described be annexed to said City, now, therefore

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF NEW SMYRNA, FLORIDA.

Section 1. That the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna, Florida, hereby declares its intention to annex all that territory located in Volusia County, Florida, and comprehended and included within the following limits and boundaries, that is to say:

Beginning at a point in the North Line of Section Sixteen (16) Twp. Seventeen (17) South Range Thirty-four (34) East, where said Line intersects the high water mark of the Atlantic Ocean, thence in a South Easterly direction along the meander of the Atlantic Ocean high water mark a distance of 1105.5 feet more or less to the center line of Third Street as platted in Detwiler's re-subdivision of Fractional Lot One (1) in Sec. Sixteen (16) Twp. Seventeen (17) South Range Thirty-four (34) East, New Smyrna Beach, thence along the center line of Third Street in a South Westerly direction 571 feet, more or less, to a point in the West line of the County Road to Eldora or Atlantic Avenue, thence along the West line of said Eldora County Road in a South Easterly direction a distance of 3800 feet more or less to the center line of Tenth Street as Platted in Rogers and Fuquay's Subdivision in Fractional Lot Two (2) Sec. Fifteen (15) Twp. Seventeen (17) South Range Thirty-four (34) East, thence along the center line of Tenth Street in a North Easterly direction a distance of 550 feet more or less to a point in the high water mark of the Atlantic Ocean, thence in a South Easterly direction along said high water mark of Atlantic Ocean with its meanders a distance of 8974.5 feet more or less to the South line of Sec. Twenty-two (22) Twp. Seventeen (17) South Range Thirty-four (34) East, thence West along the South line of Section Twenty-two and West along this line extended a distance of 9,240 feet more or less to the Indian River North to a point in the East boundary of the City of New Smyrna, Florida, thence in a Northerly direction along and with the easterly boundary of the City of New Smyrna a distance of 11,370 feet more or less to a point in a line which is the North line of Sec. Sixteen (16) Twp. Seventeen (17) South Range Thirty-four (34) East extended West, thence East along this line and the North line of Sec. Sixteen (16) Twp. Seventeen (17) South Range Thirty-four (34) East a distance of 8380 feet more or less to the place of beginning, containing 2800 acres more or less.

The property to be annexed includes all high land, lowland marsh tidal or overflowed lands adjacent to the City of New Smyrna and between the East boundary of the City of New Smyrna and the Atlantic Ocean, bounded on the North by the North line of Section Sixteen (16) Township Seventeen (17) South, Range Thirty-four (34) East and this line extended West to the City Limits, bounded on the South by the South line of Section Twenty-two (22) Township Seventeen (17) South, Range Thirty-four (34) East and this line extended West to the City Limits, except that portion which is bounded as follows: Bounded on the North by the center line of Third Street as shown on Detwiler's Resubdivision of Fractional Lot One (1) Section Sixteen (16) Township Seventeen (17) South, Range Thirty-four (34) East, New Smyrna Beach, on the East by the Atlantic Ocean, on the South by the center line of Tenth Street as shown on Rogers and Fuquay's Plat of Subdivision of Fractional Lot Two (2) Section Fifteen (15) Township Seventeen (17) South, Range Thirty-four (34) East New Smyrna Beach, and on the West by the West line of the Eldora County Road now known as Atlantic Ave., at the expiration of thirty days from the approval of this ordinance.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the New Smyrna News, a newspaper published in the City of New Smyrna.

Sec. 3. That the requirement of reading this ordinance at two regular meetings not less than one week apart be and the same is hereby dispensed with by unanimous vote of the City Commission.

Sec. 4. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed and approved as provided by law by the unanimous vote of the City Commission this the 28th day of July, A. D. 1924. The vote of the commission being as follows:

P. L. GADDIS, Yes.
Mayor and Commissioner.
W. C. CHOWNING, Yes.
Commissioner.
W. E SWOOPE, Yes.
Commissioner.

Attest: R. L. MUDGETT,
City Auditor and Clerk.
(aug 1-29)

HOME DEMONSTRATION NOTES

The response of Volusia county women to the university extension work conducted by Miss Orpha Cole, home demonstration agent, is excellent in every section of the county. During the past week this response has been further evidenced by the interest in two leadership schools conducted for the purpose of training leaders to carry on the work during Miss Cole's absence at state meetings and on her vacation, and to assist in furthering the work in other ways.

On Wednesday a canning school at DeLand was conducted in the domestic science laboratory of the high school building. Eighteen women from eight communities worked out attractive ways of conserving and packing figs, guavas and pears. Their conservation program has a triple purpose, for exhibit, for market, and for home use. Uniform jars are being ordered co-operatively and these and other fruits will be placed on the market in creditable packs.

On Friday these leaders from the various home demonstration clubs assembled at the American Legion hall in Daytona and worked all day on inexpensive gifts and accessories for interior decoration. Bazaars will be given later in the year when a part of these articles will be sold.

Attractive bamboo vases, bridge pencils, sea flowers, fairy kisses, tinted and dyed scarfs and handkerchiefs, and braided, crocheted and hooked rugs were made. Twenty leaders were present on Friday.

The communities represented in these schools were Ormond, Holly Hill, Triple Cities, Fort Orange, New Smyrna, DeLand, Lake Helen, Orange City and Pierson.

Says the Tampa Tribune: "Shellfish Commissioner Hodges is trying to make two oysters grow where one grew before." The oyster is a mighty good fish. When planted in the sea he stays where put until wanted.

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NOTICE

In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit, in and for Volusia County, Florida—In Chancery.

In re: Nora J. Abousleman, Free Dealer—Final Decree.

This day this cause came on to be heard upon the petition and the report of the Special Master in Chancery, heretofore appointed herein, that the said Petitioner is qualified to take charge of and manage her own estate and property, and to become a free dealer.

And the Court being satisfied from such report and the evidence therewith submitted, that the said Petitioner is capable and qualified to take charge of and manage her own estate and property, and to become a free dealer in every respect.

It is, therefore, hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed that the Petitioner, Nora J. Abousleman, be, and she hereby is, licensed, authorized and empowered to take charge of, manage and control her own estate and property, to contract and be contracted with, to sue and be sued, and to find herself in all respects as fully as if she were sole and unmarried, and to become a free dealer in every respect.

Done, ordered, adjudged and decreed this 28th day of July, A. D. 1924.

J. J. DICKINSON,
Judge of Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit, in and for Volusia County, Florida.
(aug 1-29)

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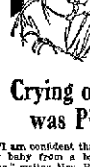

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NOTICE

In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit, in and for Volusia County, Florida—In Chancery.

In re: Nora J. Abousleman, Free Dealer—Petition.

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that the undersigned, W. C. McCullough, as Guardian of the estate of Marguerite Sargent, Harry W. Sargent and John Robert Sargent, minors, will on the first day of September, A. D. 1924, apply to the Honorable Judge of the County Judge's Court of Volusia County, Florida, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, for authority to sell at private sale, as the property of said minors, those certain pieces, parcels or lots of land lying and being in Volusia County, State of Florida, known and described as follows, to-wit:

All of the interest of said minors in the West half of Tract No. 13 in Pablo Subdivision in the Pablo Rosette Grant, in Township Nineteen (19) South, ranges 34 and 35 East, and Beginning at a point 2100 feet from the North West corner on the North line of Lot Four (4), thence South across said Lot Four Hundred and twenty-four (424) feet and two-tenths (2-10) feet; Thence East Five Hundred and twenty-five (525) feet; hence North Four Hundred and twenty-four (424) and two tenths (2-10) feet; Thence West Five Hundred and twenty-five (525) feet to the place of beginning. Containing five (5) acres more or less. The above described piece of land is part of Lot Four (4) of Pablo Rosette Grant, Section Thirty-Seven (37) Township Nineteen (19) Range Thirty-five (35) East.

Dated this 25th day of July A. D. 1924.

W. C. McCHLLOUGH,
Guardian.
(aug 1-29)

"Delicious refreshments" are being served regularly by parties and banquets all over the state. Lots of good things to eat in Florida, but isn't the word delicious being overworked? That Florida food is delicious goes without saying.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Ancillary Executor of the estate of Edwin A. Fehr, deceased, and all heirs at law, legatees, devisees, creditors, and all persons having claims or demands against said estate will present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or the same will be forever barred.

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NOTICE

In the County Judge's Court, Volusia County, State of Florida—In Probate.

In Re: Estate of Marguerite Sargent, Harry W. Sargent and John Robert Sargent, Minors. Guardian's Notice to Sell Real Estate.

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He's Kidding Himself

Tampa Tribune A Tampa business man approached on the proposition of advertising his store in this paper the other day made the statement that advertising didn t pay and that three-fourths of the money spent on advertising was wasted

Efforts to find out how much money he spent on advertising grafts a number of which are worked in every town in the country every year were futile, but it wasn t difficult to assure the non advertiser that if he d spend his money in newspaper advertising and give a little attention to the proper preparation of his copy the money so spent would not be wasted but would return to him many times in increased sales

The same merchant, when asked what kind of a suit he had on said it was a Kuppenheimer He was asked what brand of shoes he wore and immediately said that they were Florsheim shoes He stated without hesitation that his shirt was an 'Arrow brand and that he always wore a Stetson hat

Why does he wear those things and why was he able to tell the representative of this paper the names of the brands so readily? Simply because they're all advertised the length and breadth of the nation

Articles on this merchant s shelves were examined and in almost every instance they were from manufacturing concerns who advertise their products constantly in every conceivable way

The merchant said that his customers called for this article and for that one quite frequently When asked why his customers wanted things made by certain companies the merchant replied that he supposed they had used them before and found them to be worth the money All of which is true but it s a safe bet that the first time they tried an article they did so because they had read the manufacturer s description of it in an advertisement and that after purchasing they found the article exactly as advertised and through truthful advertising became satisfied customers

The clothes this merchant wore were made by companies which advertised and he knew the names of them because they were advertised the car he drives and the tires he uses on it are advertised every week in this paper and he admitted that he bought the machine because of the things he had read about it the biggest seller in his store, the things his customers call for by name are advertised brands yet this merchant says he doesn t believe in advertising and that money so spent is wasted

He's kidding himself at his own expense and doesn t know it

Florida or Bust

Among the many others who have their eyes on Florida and who are writing about her and talking about her is O O McIntyre the well known newspaper correspondent whose articles appear daily in leading papers throughout the United States

Under the heading here used Mr McIntyre has recently sent out to his papers an article on Florida in which he said, in part

When the chill of winter sets in I am going to pack the kit bag and hike to Florida I ve held out for several years just to be different but the happy persistence of my friends has won Florida or bust—likely both

I am tired of friends sending me pictures of palm groves and blue lagoons in the dead of winter, carrying such messages as Eighty in the shade here, or Hope you are well Too hot to write

As I gather it from my friends there are only two kinds of weather in Florida—glorious and elegant It seems they quit having ordinary fine weather two years ago

Today Florida has almost crowded California off the map Ask a native Floridan about California and he ll probably say Californ a? Where s that? Oh yes where they have earthquakes

The world is made up of two sets of people Those who have been to Florida and those who are going And heaven help—if it has time to neglect the working girl a minute—the pitiful few who stay at home and miss the high doings

The average New Yorker worries through the summer trying to get the coal bin filled and when it is filled he lifts up the drawbridge lowers the port cullis puts out the cat and takes the first train to Florida

The spouting well near Lake Fairview between Orlando and Apopka throws water about 150 feet into the air it is said Like the spouting geyser in Yellowstone park it acts at intervals The water in the Florida well is cool while the Yellowstone geyser wa er is hot

Samsula Has New Church as Result Albertson Revival

A new community church under the auspices of the Presbyterian board of missions has been organized at Samsula by Rev G V Albertson who has recently closed a successful revival there The Presbyterian church will exercise oversight in order to help the young church but the church will be a community organization for the benefit of all who wish to attend no matter what faith may be held by the member This has been found by Rev Albertson who has given years of his life to work in the rural communities to be the most satisfactory and practical method of conducting a church in a community where the membership is too small to permit dividing up into denominational units

There are 26 members of the new church Two elders have been chosen Messrs Geiger and Talbot Five deacons Messrs Watters Whiddon and Grayne and Mrs Wickersham and Mr Tyre Plans are on foot now for the building of a place of worship and for the present the congregation will be served by Rev A Mote H or Osceola

Rev Lillian Britton Fulton of Jacksonville has been called to the pastorate of the Congregationalist church at Lake Worth Women as a rule are good talkers and why not use the gift in the pulpit?

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Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888 Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that C Lutz purchaser of Tax Certificate No 1116 dated the 5th day of June A D 1922 has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County Florida to-wit Lots 17 and 18 Blk 2 Re sub of Lot 5 Blk 1 Lewis Homestead Sec 18 T 17 S R 34 E

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Chas T Clark Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law tax deed will issue thereon on the 19th day of August A D 1924

Witness my official signature and seal this the 15th day of July, A D 1924

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Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida
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Witness my official signature and seal this the 15th day of July A D 1924

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REPORT OF CITY AUDITOR AND CLERK
FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 1924

		Balance on hand August 1
GENERAL FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$17 078 80	
Received 1923 Taxes	80 37	
Back Taxes	17 36	
Tax Publication Charges	1 20	
Court Fine	553 00	
Business Licenses	65 00	
Dog Tax	18 00	
Building Permits	3 50	
Board of County Prisoners	23 20	
	$ 761 63	
	$17 840 23	
Disbursed in July	$ 8 732 51	$ 9 107 72
WATER AND ELECTRIC FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 9 645 88	
Received Light Rentals	3 588 80	
Water Rentals	1 089 92	
Electric Inspection Fees	7 00	
Electric Service Lines	70 00	
Water Taps	50 00	
Electric Supplies Sold	18 21	
	$ 4 773 73	
	$14 419 61	
Disbursed in July	$ 7 197 19	$ 7 222 42
PUBLICITY FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 2 545 71	
Disbursed in July	60 00	$ 2 485 71
METER FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 885 00	
Meter deposits received in July	30 00	
	$ 915 00	
Meter deposits refunded in July	50 00	$ 865 00
SEWER FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 51 40	
Received Sewer Permits	8 00	$ 59 40
INTEREST FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 4 686 81	
Disbursed in July	2 640 00	$ 2 046 81
BUILDING FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 2 995 01	
Tax appropriation transferred from General fund	1 000 00	
Interest from Banks	110 79	
	$ 4 105 80	
Disbursed in July	$ 3 867 00	$ 238 80
CORONADO AND HAWKS PARK REFUND ACCOUNTS		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 362 76	
Coronado Rentals for July	127 41	$ 490 17
FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 1 560 44	
Interest on Savings Account	15 59	$ 1 576 03
IMPROVEMENT REDEMPTION FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 2 418 29	
Received from Sewer Lines	25 50	
Received from Sewer Interest	3 69	
Interest on Savings Account	20 26	$ 2 467 74
FUNDING FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$ 4 602 32	
Interest on Savings Account	46 02	$ 4 648 34
WATER SINKING FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$10 389 67	
Interest on Savings Account	78 88	$10 468 55
SEWER SINKING FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$10 530 80	
Interest on Savings Account	92 91	$10 623 71
ELECTRIC SINKING FUND		
Balance in Banks July 1	$14 251 55	
Interest on Savings Account	100 50	$14 352 05
The following funds remained unchanged in July		
Canal Improvement Sinking Fund		$ 4 500 00
Electrical Appliance Fund		$ 22 76
Canal Improvement Fund		$ 151 79
SUMMARY		
Total on hand July 1	$86 978 79	
Total receipts in July	7 191 91	
	$94 173 70	
Total disbursed in July	22 546 70	
Total on hand August 1 1924		$71 627 00

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Locals

Dick Frank spent Sunday in Sanford with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Vandegrift spent Sunday in Sanford.

Mrs. J. R. Rush and children spent Sunday at DeLeon Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis and Mr. Kerr were visitors to DeLeon Springs Sunday.

J. E. Gamble is on the sick list and has been confined to his home for several days.

Dr. Earl Earnhardt has established an office for the practice of dentistry in the Lutz building.

R. L. Montaigne went to St. Augustine Monday, going back to the F. E. C. hospital for further treatment following his recent operation.

Mrs. Thomas and infant son left this week for North Carolina to visit relatives for a month.

A. B. Wilkinson and Gladys and Myrtle Disbennett motored to DeLand Tuesday and spent the day.

Milton Cox went to St. Augustine Monday after a visit of several weeks to his cousin, George Beck.

Bill Chalker returned home Tuesday from St. Augustine, where he visited relatives for ten days.

W. T. Goodyear is working again after being confined to his home several days on account of sickness.

Mrs. S. Ross is expected home Friday from Kentucky, where she has spent two months with relatives.

L. H. Elias left Sunday for North Carolina and points north for a pleasure and business trip combined.

Dr. Fogarty of St. Augustine was a visitor in town Friday, stopping over on a motor trip to points south.

Mrs. A. F. Swain and daughter, Viola, of Tallahassee, are spending the week with Mrs. W. I. Allman.

J. C. Hill returned home Saturday from Hendersonville N. C., where he took his family a couple of weeks ago.

Horace Ross returned Saturday from Kentucky and North Carolina, where he visited for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McCarthy and three sons returned Sunday from Miami, and will remain here permanently.

Mrs. W. L. Riley returned Tuesday from St. Louis, Mo., where she spent a week attending the "Fashion show."

Miss Alice Lee MacAuley will leave Saturday for Mt. Gilead, N. C., to spend two weeks with her grandmother.

News from A. L. Rider, a former teacher here, says he will teach at Havana again this year, with a raise in salary.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Trimble and little daughter returned Sunday from a two weeks' vacation at Hendersonville, N. C.

Cecil Beck and his friend, John Scott, came over from Winter Park and spent the week-end with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. King and Wm. Byrd went to Jacksonville Monday. The former visited at the Byrd home for a couple of weeks.

Rev. T. L. Z. Barr writes that he is improving and enjoying the services at a great camp meeting in Indian Springs, Ga.

Miss Marcie Sheldon plans to leave Saturday for Canandaga, N. Y., where she will spend a month with Georgia Renwick.

Isaac Powell motored up from Pierson and spent Saturday and Sunday at the Shattuck home with his family, who are visiting here.

Mrs. M. E. Langford, Louise, Nettie V., and Walter expect to leave Monday for Hendersonville, N. C., to enjoy a month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall and Martha Ann came home from the beach Monday, where they enjoyed a month in their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Tedder and little daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kirk and children are enjoying a camping trip at Blue Springs this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eddy arrived Sunday from Utica N. Y., and will be located for an extended time at Mrs. W. F. Chilton's on Faulkner street.

Mrs. C. L. Mackey and two children left the latter part of the week for Melba, Ala., to spend a month with the former's mother, Mrs. J. G. Wilson.

Mrs. Waldrep has been in Jacksonville during the last week getting acquainted with her new granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boyer last week Tuesday.

R. O. Vaughan went to Inverness Tuesday to attend the wedding of Miss Miriam Connor. Gladys Vaughan went over Friday and will remain until after the wedding.

News from the Chowning family state that they are delightfully located at Horseshoe, N. C., and see so many New Smyrna people in that vicinity that they almost feel at home.

Mrs. P. W. DeHoff, Donald and Willie returned to their home in Jacksonville Monday after a several days' visit to the former's sister, Mrs. E. M. Little. Isabel DeHoff remained here for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall and Martha Ann expect to leave Saturday for New York. Martha Ann will attend school in Plainfield, N. J., this year and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall will remain north indefinitely.

G. E. Beck took a crowd of boys over to Lake Winona Tuesday to attend camp for ten days for the younger boys. Those going were George Beck, Kirby Dohn Chilton, Tommy Moody, Hewitt Tedder and Blease Jones.

Married in DeLand

Mrs. Florence Kierski, who came to New Smyrna several weeks ago and purchased Mrs. William Houck's residence property on Orange street, and William Aspinwall were married in DeLand last Friday afternoon in the office of the county judge, R. B. E. Roper of this city performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Aspinwall are now at home on Orange street.

Loyd Henderson left Monday for Miami.

A. G. Clark, who has been with the Wilson Construction company, has accepted a position with R. S. Maley.

W. A. Hayes and Talmadge left Saturday for Cloudland, Ga., to spend about ten days with Mrs. Hayes and children.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bush expect to leave Sunday for Center Hill, where the former will assist in a revival meeting.

Mrs. George J. Ott left Monday for Charlotte, N. C., for a visit of a couple of weeks at the home of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reed and Helen Grace are expected this week from Michigan, and plan to locate here permanently.

Mrs. W. C. Phillips and daughter, Katie Martin, expect to leave Sunday for Rome, Ga., to spend three weeks with the former's brother, Mr. Cornwell.

Miss Katherine Doren and mother left Monday for a visit to Madison, Fla. Miss Doren will also visit in Valdosta and Bainbridge, Ga., before her return here.

Friends of Misses Ferguson and Sawyer will be interested to learn that they have been reappointed to the DeLand school, and will teach there again next term.

The cowards never started; the weak died on the way, only the strong survived the perils, the thrills you'll see in "The Covered Wagon" at the Victoria August 20 and 21.

Mrs. W. J. Griffin, Mrs. Doren and Miss Katherine Doren, Mrs. P. D. Burrows and daughter, Mary Kate, and Loyd Henderson motored to Orlando last Friday and spent the day.

W. F. Alderman and family left Saturday for South Jacksonville, where they will locate permanently. Earl Alderman remained here and will continue as clerk in Griffin's drug store.

Prof. F. M. Williamson and wife of Lakeland will be the guests of E. L. Greer and family next week. Prof. Williamson will preach at the M. E. church, South, Sunday and conduct a teachers' training class during the week.

In the lightning storm of Tuesday afternoon the roof of Mrs. Ethel Kinder's home on Palmetto street was struck by lightning, and Mrs. Ed Kamer, who was sitting at the window in her home, was knocked to the floor and severely shocked.

A crowd enjoyed a spend-a-day at DeLeon Spings Sunday, returning about dark. Those making up the crowd were Mrs. E. M. Little, Dorothy Louise and Herbert; Mrs. P. W. DeHoff, Donald, Willie and Isabel; Mr. and Mrs. Chalker, Doris, Leah and George and Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown returned Friday from a several days' stay in Jacksonville with their daughter, Mrs. L. L. Copeland. Mrs. Kinney Hollister came home from Jacksonville with them, and remained until Monday, when she left for her home in Tavares.

Miss Nellie Dutton arrived home Saturday from Gainesville, where she has been attending the summer school at the state university. Tuesday she and her sister, Miss Lucile, who is enjoying a vacation from her duties as clerk in the postoffice, left for Susquehanna, Pa., where they will spend three weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Eddy of Utica, N. Y., arrived Tuesday and have apartments at Mrs. Chilton's home, where they expect to remain through the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy hiked from New York here, and aside from occasional "lifts," made the trip on foot, and are none the worse for their experience, having thoroughly enjoyed the trip.

B. Jacobs and F. C. Hosner of the New York department store will leave next week for the northern markets, where they will purchase the fall stocks for their three stores in New Smyrna, Daytona and Green Cove Spings. They plan to visit Savannah, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York and will be gone several weeks.

The Girl Reserves expect to go to Daytona Beach Friday and enjoy a week-end house party at their summer cottage on Goodall avenue, returning home Monday. The following girls will make up the party: Misses Leah Chalker, Myrtle Disbennett, Gladys Wilkinson, Louise Cooper, Dora Bell, Nettie V. Langford, Frank Hollister and Mae Rowe.

Transportation Contracts Made By School Board

At the meeting of the county school board held in DeLand Monday the contract for transporting children from the Luzna-Sopotnick community was awarded to J. A. Suppanz for the sum of $70 per month.

Contract for transporting children from the Allamana community to the Samsula school was awarded to A. S. J. Marsh for $36 a month. Mr. Jackson, living in the Spruce creek neighborhood was allowed $5 per pupil per month based on attendance for the transportation of his children. This transportation is given because of the fact that the Spruce creek school has been abandoned.

Transportation was allowed but no contract awarded for Hawks Park and Coronado transportation to the New Smyrna school, and the secretary instructed to take the matter up with the local board of trustees of district No. 8.

Since no satisfactory proposal had been offered for the transportation of the children from Volco the secretary was instructed to investigate further and make the best arrangements possible.

A communication received from the board of trustees of Samsula stating the crowded condition in their school and the necessity for additional room was considered. Upon motion an appropriation not to exceed $300 was allowed for these needed additions. The secretary was instructed to communicate with the local board of trustees at Samsula asking them to get competitive bids on the necessary work and report as soon as possible.

Communication received from Henry Nordman, living three and one-half miles north of New Smyrna, asking for transportation for two children was considered by the board. Since there are not enough children in this community to justify the establishing of a school, and as it has been the policy of the board to give transportation only in those cases where there are enough children in one community to support a school, Mr. Nordman's application for transportation was rejected.

The revised bid of Fiveash & Mears for alteration on the old residence property on the school grounds at New Smyrna for $500 was accepted.

Training School

Prof. F. M. Williamson and wife conference Sunday school secretary, will spend next week in the city conducting a training class in Sunday school work. These classes will be held every night at 8 o'clock at the M. E. church, South. Every one is cordially invited from any church. Prof. Williamson is a specialist in Sunday school work and New Smyrna is very fortunate in securing his services.

Miss Jessie Haynes and her mother have been spending a week in St. Augustine, and came home Tuesday.

Mrs. P. L. Gaddis and two daughters arrived home Wednesday from their visit of several weeks with relatives and friends in Chattanooga, Tenn., and Jasper, Ga.

The regular social meeting of the Woman's club will be held next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the club rooms, with Mrs. H. C. Silvers and Mrs. H. E. Donelly as hostesses.

News was received here of the birth of a son weighing nine pounds Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones at their home in Miami. The Jones family formerly resided here, where they have many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McNeill of Thomasville, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Burrows and daughter, Mary Kate, of Valdosta, Ga., who have been visiting Mrs. W. J. Griffin, left Wednesday for their homes.

Miss Rua Van Horn, who has been spending several weeks at the home of her parents on Lake Okeechobee, and is on her way back to Chicago, spent the day Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Reed.

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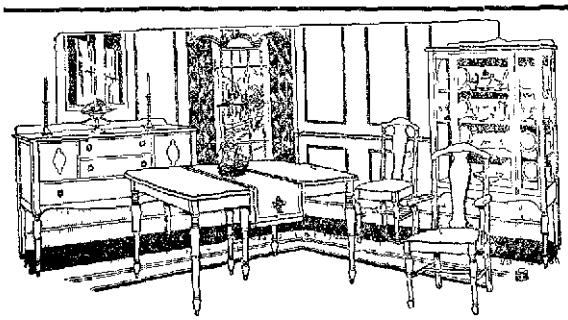

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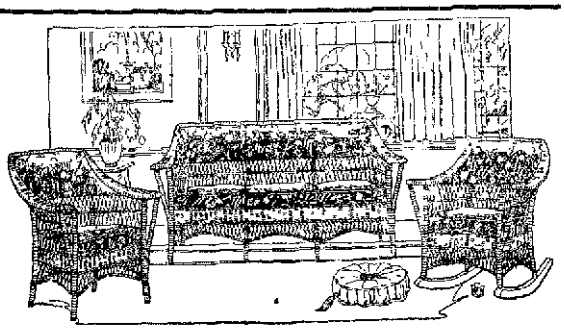

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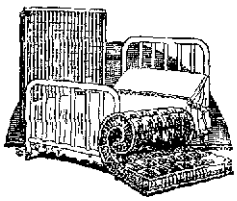

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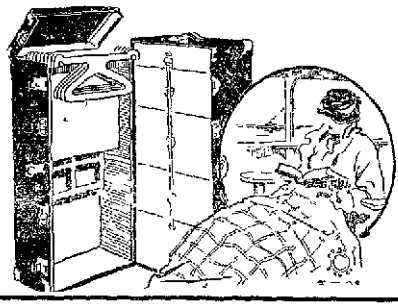

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Road and Bridge Fund

hnson	37.50
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Hdw & Furn Co.	70.24
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Hdw Co.	5.65
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Byrd	30.00
Warrensford	10.00
cBride	90.00
Const Co	171.16
Tofford	60.00
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Clifton	19.20
Bush Drug Co	7.00
Natl Bank DeLand	1,000.00
Coast Co	6,669.99
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myrna Sheet Wks	1.50
Montgomery	393.22
Beck	4.80
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Moody	46.00
st Coast Ry	136.46
Motor Co	18.85
Co Stockade	321.82
obertson	28.00
reggers	48.00
mith	46.00
Smith	7.50
Mch & Motor Co	42.05
Figgins	130.00
Mch Co	319.35
ull	75.00
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abeck Dry Goods Co	29.00
d Hdw Co	55.37
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Bank of New Smyrna	226.70
Const Co	93.83
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s Garage	164.05
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illing Station	77.06
Ryan & Co	3.40
Emanuel	72.00
Northrop	78.00
Smith	66.50
Coleman	103.50
Warrensford	146.06
Garage	21.20
	$16,762.75

General Revenue Fund

D Wetherell	83.33
Orpha Cole	140.00
mith	800.00
ennings	26.00
ated Charities	60.00
Hattie Boyd	3.00
Collett	10.00
Martha Dees	10.00
s Floyd	10.00
V. M. Henry	10.00
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Hunter	10.00
Lynch	10.00
McDuffee	10.00
Manning	5.00
F Rhodes	10.00
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Y B Drew Co	24.87
Evans & Cogswell	151.10
al Ptg Co	122.60
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t Lane Agency	16.50
Ptg T D Co	4.71
W Stephens	4.00
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Morris	26.39
S Munson	2.00
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Hdw & Furn Co	6.25
llen Furn Co	75.60
J R Roberts	16.45
d Fish Market	6.65
a Pharmacy	17.70
Hdw Co	35.25
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New Smyrna News	3.00
G W Fisher Drug Co	.75
Tomoka Land Co	8.00
A S Munson	10.00
W D Haynes	191.40
Bauman Bros	10.00
King Drug Co	60.29
Chas Jones	5.00
T A Brown	160.00
Mrs Delta Flowers	100.00
Mrs G P Carson	5.00
Fred Ashmore	60.00
Mrs H Bennett	5.00
R R Brown	10.00
Mrs S S Davis	10.00
Minnie Emanuel	8.00
W R Farnhart	10.00
Mrs Alfred Hardyman	5.00
Ella J Horn	8.00
Mr and Mrs T R Howard	10.00
Mrs Martin Long	10.00
Mr and Mrs McArthur	10.00
Mrs C D McCormick	10.00
Judy Morrison	5.00
W F Fonteaux	10.00
Mrs Kate Rose	10.00
Mrs Vermelle Williams	10.00
Mrs Rosa King	10.00
American Rescue Workers	50.00
Mary Bailey	6.00
C C Austin	1.20
A E Jones	1.30
E V Swain	1.20
Wm T Colby	2.50
R M Dressner	2.50
F K Fish	2.50
M J Myers	11.80
Frank Mason	12.95
E O Painter Prtg Co	554.50
Hutchinson Hall	31.25
Volusia Co Abstract Co.	5.00
New Smyrna News Co	47.24
News Pub Co	63.75
Puritan Chemical Co	24.00
W C Foster	46.12
Underwood Typewirter Co	4.00
Dr H S Woodberry	4.00
J E Peacock	6.00
Dr G A Davis	2.00
W A Morris	2.00
Saml D Jordan	427.10
Sun Pub Co	213.10
Vol Co Abstract Co	10.00
A H Woodall	15.50
V M Fountain & Co	9.75
G A Dreka & Co	39.92
Allen-White Co	41.33
Cash Thomason	8.00
Sou Bel Tel Co	38.80
A W Eastinger	11.75
W A Allen Co	14.87
Dr R M Walsh	8.00
R L Smith & Co	24.54
Daytona Daily News	7.75
A M Delaick	2.00
City of Daytona	129.05
Martin M Hagan	59.89
C E Vining	91.66
W C Jackson	66.66
Fla Pub Serv Corp	33.00
L B Douglass	91.68
G C Beck	91.66
B B Thursby	72.66
	$ 5,207.63

LODGES AND SOCIETIES

Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers
Coronado Division No. 823, B. of L. E. Meets in Masonic hall second and fourth Sundays in every month at 2 p. m. J. W. Deats, Chief Engineer. W. T. Day, Sec. and Treas.

Order of Railway Conductors
Order of Railway Conductors meets in Masonic hall second and fourth Sundays at 9 a. m., except during July, August and September. Second Sunday only in those months.
E. K. Anders, Chief Conductor.
K. H. Causey, Sec. and Treas.

Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen
Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen meets in Masonic hall third Thursday in each month at 7:30 p. m.
C. L. Stowe, President.
Jeff Hall, Secretary.

G. I. A. to B. of L. E.
Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers meets in Masonic hall first and third Fridays at 7:30 p. m.
Mrs. W. R. McDaniel, President.
Mrs. W. I. Athearn, Secretary

L. A. to B. of R. T.
Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen meets in Masonic hall first and third Thursday at 3:30 p. m.
Mrs. Ed. Miller, President.
Mrs. Nettie R. Kirk, Secretary

Free and Accepted Masons
New Smyrna Lodge No. 149, F. & A. M., meets in Masonic hall first and third Monday in each month at 7:30 p. m.
W. I. Athearn, W. M.
J. R. Bush, Secretary.

Royal Arch Masons
New Smyrna Chapter No. 51, R. A. M., meets in Masonic hall second Friday at 7:30 p. m.
H. C. Putnam, E. H. P.
W. S. Stalvey, Secretary.

Chamber of Commerce
New Smyrna Chamber of Commerce meets every Tuesday evening in the Chamber of Commerce offices, Canal street, at 7:30 p. m. Dinner meeting once each month as announced.
Davis Forster, President,
Wm. Behne, Secretary.

Woman's Club
New Smyrna Woman's club meets alternate Mondays in clubhouse at corner of Magnolia street and Lytle avenue. First meeting in month business, other social.
Mrs. T. L. Howell, Act. Pres.
Mrs. Mary Mudgett, Secretary.

Exchange Club
Exchange club meets each Tuesday from 12:30 to 1:30 p. m. at a local hotel as announced.
R. L. Goulding, President.
Wm. Behne, Secretary.

Order of Eastern Star
New Smyrna Chapter No. 8, O. E. S., meets second and fourth Mondays at 7:30 p. m. in Masonic hall.
Mrs. Lucile Brown, W. M.
Mrs. Belle T. Rood, Sec.

CORONADO NEWS

Mrs. Fannie Kussart arrived last week from Pennsylvania, where she has been spending some time with her mother.

Mrs. Chas. W. Brown of Sanford is spending several days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cooper.

Mrs. Robert Maltby was a visitor in Daytona several days last week, going up to have some teeth extracted.

In the absence of the pastor Rev. Ernsberger, Rev. Harold led prayer meeting on Thursday night. It was decided at that time to discontinue the prayer meetings until the return of Mr. Ernsberger about September 1.

Mrs. Marion Blanton and son, Robert, returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Texas.

A recent letter received from J. D. Eads of Warrensburg, Mo., states that Mrs. Eads' health is improving and that they hope to be able to return to Coronado this fall. Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Griggs, who have spent so many winters here, will return earlier than usual and there will probably be several other Warrensburg families come with them.

Tom Daugherty is driving a new Essex sedan and wearing a broad smile.

Dr. and Mrs. I. N. Kennedy of Eustis came Thursday for a month's stay in the John Adams apartments. The doctor will go back and forth to his office in Eustis, but Mrs. Kennedy will remain for the entire month.

Mrs. E. J. Harold and two daughters, Margaret and Elizabeth, and Mrs. W. L. Cooper and son, Leroy, Jr., motored to DeLand Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis spent several days last week in Jacksonville.

A card received the first of the week from Mrs. Etta Marlatt tells of her visit to Paris, France, and states that she will visit many other places of interest on the continenent before returning to America. Mrs. Marlatt will be pleasantly remembered here, having spent the winter season with friends in Holly Rood Villa.

Mr. Lyons has the concrete floor of his new building completed and expects to have the building ready for use by fall.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Simpson and son and Miss Mary Linderman of Mt. Dora spent several days at the beach this week, coming over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Johnson and daughter of Sanford were Sunday visitors at the beach.

The many friends of Mrs. Emma Vrooman, who is better known as "Cousin Emma," will be glad to know that she is steadily recovering from her recent illness.

The children of the primary department of the Sunday school now have kindergarten chairs to sit on, a nice low table, a sand table, blackboard, crayons, blocks, scissors, etc., to use in their Sunday school work. This much needed equipment having been purchased and used last Sunday. This should make it much easier for the teacher, as well as offer an inducement to all children to attend Sabbath school regularly.

Recent arrivals at the Ocean View hotel over the week end include Mrs. Annie R. Fisher, Russell Gurd, Yonkers, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Curry, DeLand; Mr. Garland Walker, DeLand; Mrs. M. M. Miller, Kissimmee; Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Bumby and family, Orlando; Mrs. W. T. Hundler, Annie Mae Humphreys, DeLand; Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Pierce of Mt. Dora.

There were just 60 people for dinner at the Ocean View hotel on Sunday, this being the largest crowd of the season.

Mr. Told and two daughters of Umatilla, came recently to spend some time in one of the Daugherty cottages.

C. W. Chittenden of Sanford spent last week at the Riverview hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Cade and family of Seville and Mrs. C. H. Cade of Pierson are spending some time in Mrs. Dewey's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob G. Cade and Miss Cleita Hopkins of Pierson are recent arrivals and are stopping in Keystone apartments.

Dr. and Mrs. Mahtey and son and family of Eustis have taken rooms in the Keystone apartments for a time.

Week-end guests at the Riverview hotel were C. B. Richards St. Cloud; W. L. Sewell, Atlanta, Ga.; J. O. Gontt, Orlando; Chas. Beklem and Roy T. Marr, Eustis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Smith of Orlando came Monday to spend a week at the beach.

Mrs. F. N. Aldrich and two sons and Harry Clark and Robert White, Jr., all of Mt. Dora, arrived Monday and will spend a week in the Seabreeze apartments.

Mrs. A. A. Cato of Alachua has four of her married children and 17 grandchildren in Coronado Beach with her at the present time. In fact, every member of the family except one is present and she is expected to come, thus making the family reunion complete. Those present are Mr. and Mrs. Mooncyham and family, Elliott, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Mize, and family, Waycross, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cato, Alachua; Mrs. Leila Cato Barber and children of Melbourne.

The following Mt. Dora people, together with Mrs. Aldrich and sons are enjoying a house party at the beach this week, stopping in the Seabreeze apartments: Mr. H. Winslow, Mrs. Anna Wesser and son, Winslow, Miss Carrie True and Mrs. Mary C. Wells of Burlington, Vt. The boys in the party are all Boy Scouts and will enjoy many hikes while here.

E. J. Harold, formerly of Marion, Ind., has opened a real estate business in Coronado Beach. Mr. Harold and family have been here since February 1st, and are planning to remain indefinitely. Mr. Harold has been in pastoral work in the Friends church in Massachusetts, Indiana and North Carolina, until he was forced to seek restoration of health in our sunny East Coast. He and his family will make their home at Coronado Beach, where he will engage in real estate business. The Harolds have been given a hearty welcome into the work of the churches on both sides of the river.

England imports thousands of crates of oranges from Spain and turns them into marmalades and other delightful table products. In a manufactured form the orange brings a good deal of money to the British manufacturer. Florida is just beginning to utilize citrus fruits by putting them into cans and bottles, and in that way they can be shipped long distances and kept indefinitely. England calls upon the whole world for raw material, and makes large profits by putting them into manufactured form. England gets most of its cotton from the South, and millions of dollars' worth of goods come to America. Florida long staple cotton goes to England to be made into thread and lace material.

Ruth Bich, former edtor of the woman's department of the Florida Times-Union, has been re-elected editor of the Independent Woman, the official organ of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs. Her first year's work as editor was so satisfactory that she was promptly chosen for another year. This magazine is published at 276 Fifth avenue, New York city, and has a wide circulation and influence.

The July issue of Southern Trails and Trips, published at Columbus, Ga., by Leland J. Henderson, well known in Florida, is better than any of the preceding numbers if possible. It is indispensable to persons who take extensive trips by automobile in any part of the country. Florida is well represented. In addition to the route information, many hints, notes and tips for travelers will be found.

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NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received for the purchase of the property known as the Masonic lot at the corner of Canal and Orange streets; bids must be for cash and accompanied by a certified check for $1,000, and filed with the secretary of the lodge by 7 o'clock p. m. August 18, 1924. The lodge reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
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Greatest Photoplay Ever Filmed Is "The Covered Wagon"

One of the greatest photoplays ever made will be the popular verdict when the motion picture public sees James Cruze's colossal Paramount production, "The Covered Wagon," which will be the feature at the Victoria theater next Wednesday and Thursday, August 20 and 21. That is the prediction made not only by Mr. Cruze himself, but by those who have seen the picture and who hail it for its bigness, impressiveness and extraordinary realism.

Perfect realism, a strong love theme, tremendous dramatic action, thrills that are utterly unlike the ordinary sort; a background of real newness to the screen, where the camera has never before been ground; all these facts coupled with the splendid cast of virtually 3,000 men and women, certainly indicate a picture that is worthy of any director's enthusiasm. And James Cruze is enthusiastic. He has believed in the picture from the start and with each day of shooting, sometimes under conditions almost unbelievably difficult, his enthusiasm has grown. Nor is he alone in his belief, for every person in the drama of the old time western days shares his convictions.

The story with the vast sweep of the western plains for background, across which wind the "covered wagons" with their human freight, is essentially good picture material. The plot is dramatic with the interest well sustained, and the story unfolds like a stirring panorama of an earlier day.

The theme deals with the adventures of a gallant young officer of the American army forced by a rival's enmity to clear his name of an undeserved stain, that of being a cattle-thief, and to win his bride under heavy difficulties. J. Warren Kerrigan is the man, Lois Wilson, the girl, and Alan Hale the scheming villain. This trio does the major part of the acting and to them along with the director, goes the credit for this superb production. Others in the cast are Charles Ogle, Ernest Torrence, Tully Marshall, Guy Oliver and John Fox.

"The action is exceptionally thrilling, the incidents being dramatic and impressive. These include the fording of the Kaw river by the wagon train, the Indian attack and massacre, the prairie fire, the buffalo hunt, the fierce battle between Banion and Woodhull, the parting of the trains and tragic death of Woodhull. The action is speedy and thrilling.

Hattie B. Bainum writes most entertainingly in the Tourist News of St. Petersburg about "Florida's Midsummer Florida." "A visit to a Florida flower garden in July would be a revelation to people of colder countries. In this garden would be seen annuals, perennials, tropical plants and plants from the temperate zone, all, seemingly, trying to outvie each other in their lavish bloom and gorgeous regal coloring. It is a pleasure to have a continuous festival of flowers all through the year as it is in the land of Flowers. No home is complete in Florida without flowers at all times of the year. These lovely things pay a thousand fold the small investment required. One can grow all the flowers he desires in midsummer as well as in midwinter, if he puts forth any effort to do so. Inhabitants of colder countries would be happy, indeed, for a climate where flowers grow all the year, while we are so used to the fact that we, somehow, seem to forget about the flowers that grow here the year round."

OAK HILL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs Chas Simmons and children are enjoying an outing over at Palm Springs.

Marion Louise and Breese Bennett have returned home after spending several days with their grandmother, Mrs. J. N. Mosby, in Titusville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Deal and children are pleasantly located in Hendersonville, where they are enjoying the mountain air and before returning home will visit relatives in Georgia.

Mrs. H. Guller and two grandchildren, who left early in June for points in North Carolina, have been enjoying the delights of Ocean View, Va., but are now in Absokie, where Mrs. Guller is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Godwin.

Mrs. Craig Goodson, together with one of her sisters of Daytona, is visiting in Fort Lauderdale this week.

Louie Goodson during the absence of his mother in Fort Lauderdale this week, is enjoying a visit with his grandmother and grandfather, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Simmons, in Daytona.

Mrs. Will McAllister and daughter, Miss Carolyn, stopped en route from Miami to Chattanooga and visited at the home of their cousin, Mrs. G. L. Comer, a couple of days last week.

Mrs. Florence M. Johnson and Miss Frances returned to their home in Chipley, Ga., last Sunday after a visit with Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Hubert Magruder.

The many friends of Mrs. J. A. Cunningham of Nashville, Tenn., will be pleased to know that she is planning a visit to her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Comer, and expects to arrive some time about the 29th.

The many friends of Miss Moniga McDonald regret her accident in falling on the concrete walk in front of her home, sustaining injuries to her knee cap which caused her a great inconvenience. Miss Moniga is now able to be out.

When Mr. and Mrs. Comer drove into their place last Saturday night after being in New Smyrna they discovered one of their negro houses on fire. The fire originated from a smudge on the inside and burned very rapidly. The house had just been recovered and repaired but was a total loss. The negroes who occupied the house lost most of their belongings.

J. C. Chapman of the Crook Electric company, of New Smyrna, collided with the Allenhurst-Oak Hill mail truck being driven by Mr. Lay while rounding a curve below the Gardner place on the Shiloh road about 4 o'clock Monday afternoon. Mr. Chapman had been at C. T. Pallilo's place doing some extra wiring and was on his way back to New Smyrna when the accident occurred. His Star car was pretty well torn up and Mr. Chapman was lucky in sustaining only a few scratches. The truck, which was heavily, was slightly hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hookey and son, Richard, have just returned from a trip to Miami. While gone they visited many friends in Miami, also viewed Hialeah, Hollywood, Miami Beach and Coral Gables. While on the beach they watched the high divers. They found good roads all the way except in Volusia county. There were detours in other counties but they are kept passable. In other counties the road grading, bridge making and hard surfacing are all going on at the same time, but in Volusia county they are only doing one thing at a time and it very slow.

Cabbage Palm Trees Are Fast Disappearing

Henry Nehrling, whose tropical garden at Naples is one of the show places of Florida, and who is one of the best posted men in the state on tropical products, quotes the following from the pen of Prof. C. S. Sargent: "Of the tree palms of our country the best known is the cabbage palmetto of the coast region of the southeastern states, where in the immediate neighborhood of the sea it ranges from an island off the mouth of Cape Fear river in North Carolina to southern Florida, and along the gulf coast to the Apalachicola. This tree is interesting in botanical geographers as the most northern abovecast palm in the world; probably nothing so delights and instructs northern travelers in the south as their first introduction to a grove of these plants. The large terminal leafbud of this tree and of many other palms is cooked as a vegetable—a fact to which it owes its common name. The custom is an extravagant one, as the removal of the bud, which is never replaced, kills the tree, and as young vigorous trees produce the most succulent buds it is rather remarkable that the species has escaped extermination in a region abounding in negroes who are credited with a special fondness for cabbages, which can be had without agricultural forethought or labor. But if it has survived the vegetarian, it will not long survive the maker of scrubbing-brushes, who now uses the fibers of the sheaths of the young leaves in his industry. To obtain his material, the top of a young plant with its bud is cut off, trimmed down to a disc of about eight inches in length, and then after the soft edible core has been removed, boiled to separate the fibers. The removal of the top kills the plant, as we have already said, and as one concern in Jacksonville, Fla., alone consumes 7,500 buds a week, the time is not very far distant when the Sabal palmetto will become a rare tree. The buds, which are now mostly procured from the West Coast of Florida, where the palmetto is most abundant, are worth at the mill only 6 or 7 cents each, and it is not probable that the extravagant and wastefulness of this brush industry is exceeded by that of any other in the United States."

Manatee county shipped 8,331 carloads of products to market during the past season, in which it is said to lead the state. Twelve different products were shipped by carlots, in which citrus fruits led with 3,361 cars, celery came next with 1,862 cars, and tomatoes third with 1,400 cars. The 1924 shipments exceeded those of 1923 by 1,722 cars. This does not include a large quantity shipped by express and in less than carlots. Manatee county is on the gulf, and lies between two other good counties, Hillsborough and Sarasota. The county seat is Bradentown, and besides it the county includes other good points in Palmetto, Manatee, Parrish, Ellenton, Gillette, Oneco, Palma Sola, Cortez, Myakka, Terra Ceia and Anna Maria.

See Your Own State Before Going Abroad

To see America is a big task but before doing it see your own state. There are forty-eight states in the American union, and in each there is much to see. But before seeing your own state, see your own country. Men travel long distances in search of scenic beauties and more wonderful scenes are within easy reach of their own front doors. From any Florida county it is not a long drive to salt water, and what is more wonderful than the ocean with its mysteries and as great a variety of life as on the land? Take along a book from the public library and read about it. Take along also a book on astronomy and study the wonders of the upper deeps of stars so far away that light traveling at 180,000 miles a second, is thousands of years in reaching the earth. Also take along a book of travels by men who made pictures of the most famous things in every country and describe them, and you will know in a few weeks more about the world than people who travel in a hundrum way, spend barrels of money, imagine they are travelers, and can hardly name the countries they visit. In London they see the houses of parliament, the Tower, the British museum, the Wellington monument, Thames river, Windsor castle, Westminster Abbey, etc., but the book pictures them and many other scenes not seen by the piloted travelers, besides descriptions and details are given which make a deeper impress than is possible to be had from the "spell" of a barker on a rubber-neck buss. There are various ways of doing things and seeing the world. Books tell us of ancient Egypt, Greece and Rome, of their great men, tell of the starry spaces over our heads; of geology and the structure of the earth, and they can tell of the cities and conditions in every country at present, and tell us at no cost but time. They tell us of Europe without being forced to eat the garlic and red pepper flavored viands in cafes of continental cities, where it is said American expatriates mourn only because of the food. Of course, it is enjoyable to have money and some satisfaction to boast "I've been abroad." But men who are not financially able to go can get knowledge of other countries and all known subjects via the book route. Rockefeller, Edison and Ford have never been to Rome, Athens, Cairo, Jerusalem, Calcutta, Hongkong or Tokio, but when they want relaxation from the real duties of life they come to Florida.

It is not generally known that Rev. Charles Beecher, of the celebrated Beecher family, was superintendent of educational work in Florida during a portion of the administration of Gov. Harrison Reed. That Harriet Beecher Stowe had a winter home at Mandarin, near Jacksonville, where she was visited by Henry Ward Beecher and wife, and that the latter published a book, "Letters from Florida," from the press of Appleton, New York, in which our climate and other advantages were highly praised.

It is frequently said that Florida has a public debt of $601,000. The fact is that the general fund some years ago borrowed that amount from the educational fund, a family affair of taking money from one pocket and putting it into another. Gov. Hardee reports that the state has $240,000 on hand to apply on these bonds, and it is expected enough will be had in due time to repay and the so-called debt cancelled. The various funds of the state have a surplus of over $4,000,000, a condition probably not equalled in any other state.

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VICTORIA THEATER
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One show each night, beginning at 8:15 sharp—no matinee. Mr. Cash Thomason of Vivian Theater, Daytona, will handle the organ, rendering the original score that has accompanied this picture at Daytona and all other cities.

Prices: 50c, 75c and $1.00. Reserved seats on sale at Griffin Drug Store Tuesday morning, August 19. SPECIAL—to enable children under ten to see this show they will be allowed to occupy the first three rows at 25c.

First three rows 25c for children under ten years; next four rows 50c; following ten rows $1.00, tax included; balance floor 75c, tax included. All adult seats reserved. Seats ordered by phone will be held until 8:15 only, unless payment guaranteed.

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